

THE NORTHWEST

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A WHAT IS IT.

A Strange Animal Exciting the People.

The *News*, published at Sycamore, a small village about twelve or fifteen miles beyond Fostoria, on the Toledo and Ohio Central R., gives the following account of a strange animal seen in that neighborhood:

"There has been a strange animal seen by several different parties, in a piece of woods between Mexico and Toledo and Ohio Central railroad bridge, near the river. It has been described to us as being about the size of a child four or five years old, when standing erect on his hind feet. It has four legs with feet resembling monkey's. It is covered with short, reddish brown hair about an inch in length. The head resembles that of a child with the nose very wide and flat; ears like a fox. The mouth is very large, and prominently filled with large, fang teeth. When it cries it makes a noise that is unlike anything that has ever been heard before. It is something like the cry of a child and howl of a wolf combined. It stays hid during the night and has only been seen along the river bank in the day time, hunting for frogs, which appear to be his favorite diet. It is very dexterous in catching them, and when caught devours them with a great relish. There are parties trying to capture the thing alive, and if they succeed they will have one of the greatest living curiosities of the age. So far they met with failure as it is very shy and shows considerable sagacity in avoiding all traps and snares that have been set to catch it."

The Price of Wheat.
(The Milling World.)

Wheat as a staple article of consumption and commerce has been subject to wonderful variations in market value during the sixty years. Beginning in 1825 a period of low prices, when wheat sold at 75 cents in New York, there was a rise for four years to the first maximum of 175 cents in 1829. Then came a fall of only seven months to 100 cents; late in the same year, and afterward a rise to the second maximum of 225 cents in 1836. From that point the decline continued until 1846, when the price was only 90 cents, but in the very next year it advanced to 195 cents. The next decline culminated in 1851 to 93 cents, but from that point there was an advance of four years to 280 cents in 1855. The price then declined not lower than 123 cents in 1858, but afterward rose to 345 cents in 1866. A decline followed to 150 cents in 1870, and another advance to 225 cents in 1873. The price then declined to 84 cents in 1879, but advanced to 185 cents in 1877, and then declined to 85 cents in 1878. Another advance to 160 cents in 1880 was followed by a decline of about 80 cents in 1884, and prices nearly as low have been already recorded this year.

A Druggist's Story.

Mr. Isaac C. Chapman, Druggist, Newburg, N. Y., writes us: "I have for the past ten years sold several gross of D. Williams' Hall's Balsam for the lungs. I can say of it what I cannot say of any other medicine. I have never heard a customer speak of it but to praise its virtues in the highest manner. I have recommended it in a great many cases of Whooping Cough, with the happiest effects. I have used it in my own family for many years; in fact, always have a bottle in the medicine closet ready for use."

Instantaneous Photography.

Leland Stanford, the millionaire California Senator, spent \$80,000 in perfecting apparatus for the instantaneous photographing of horses going at a high rate of speed. He attained the object aimed at and the result has been a source of wonder and amusement to all who were made familiar with the facts. During the coming Tri-State Fair at Toledo, Sept. 6th to 11th, the Stanford process will be tried daily, during the races, the horses being photographed at the moment the wire is touched. This will probably break up the so-called "dead heats," for if one horse is the fraction of a foot ahead of another at the wire, the instantaneous process will show it.

The President and Mrs. Cleveland Leaves the Capital.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—President and Mrs. Cleveland and her mother, Mrs. Folsom, and Col. and Mrs. Lamont left Washington on the limited express of the Pennsylvania railway, at 9:40 o'clock this morning. The President and Mrs. Cleveland and her mother will proceed directly to the Adirondack Mountains. Col. and Mrs. Lamont will leave the party at Albany and go to McGrawville, Cortland county, N. Y., where the Colonel will endeavor to recuperate. While feeling much better than he has for some weeks past, he feels the need of rest. Every arrangement has been made for the comfort of the party en route. A special car tendered the President by the Directors of the Delaware & Hudson Canal Company arrived here yesterday, and will run through to the President's destination. The car is a marvel in beauty and convenience. It is built, both inside and out, of solid mahogany. The room to be occupied by the President and Mrs. Cleveland is richly upholstered and is as finely furnished as a drawing room.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by D. J. Humphrey.

Old lady (as her basket come in contact with a pedestrian): "Mein Gott in Himmel, is that you?" Pedestrian: "No, madam, it is only a man."—Life.

Buy the Johnson Fine Shoe at
Rous & Sons's.

IN MEMORY OF SAMUEL J. TILDEN.

John G. Whittier's Beautiful Tribute of Respect to the Dead Statesman.
Boston, Mass., Aug. 12.—The following poem appeared in last night's Transcript:

S. J. T.—GREYSTONE, AUG. 4, 1886.
Once more, O all-adjusting death,
The nation's Pantheon opens wide;
Once more a common sorrow saith
A strong, wise man has died.
Faults doubtless had he. Had we not
Our own, to question and asperse
The worth we doubted or forgot
Until we stood beside his hearth?
Ambitions, cautious, yet the man
To strike down fraud with resolute hand.
A patriot, if a partisan,
He loved his native land.
So let the mourning bells be rung,
The banner drop its folds half-way,
And let the public pen and tongue
Their fitting tribute pay.
Then let us vow above his bier
To set our feet on party lies;
And wound no more a living ear
With words that death denies.
—John G. Whittier.

SUFFERING NORTH-WEST.

Losses Almost Incalculable and Four Thousand People Without Homes.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 15.—So wide is the territory traversed by the forest fires in Northern and Middle Wisconsin and so meager the information as to the actual extent of the damage that the losses can only be roughly approximated. The greatest damage was to standing timber, which is the source of wealth of this district. Portage, Marathon, Wood, Clerk, Brown, Door and Calumet counties suffered most severely.

President Hiles, of the Dexterville and Lake Superior Road, who returned to-day from the devastated region, places the lumber and standing pine damage at several millions. He says unless heavy rains intervene within fourteen days half the timber resources of the country will be destroyed. The drought has been so long sustained that leaves have withered and fallen before their time, swamps and marshes have dried up, creeks have disappeared and streams dwindled to insignificant rivulets.

Every thing, therefore, burned like tinder, with no barrier to impede progress. Hundreds of thousands of acres of pine, where the second growth of pine was growing, have been burned over.

From best information obtainable, it is estimated that fifty sawmills were consumed along the line of the Wisconsin Central Railroad. Hundreds of cords of piled woods, ties, &c., are in ashes. The number of homeless families is estimated at seven hundred, representing some 3,500 people. Their individual losses are comparatively light, but in the aggregate reach over \$1,000,000, mostly uninsured. The cranberry marshes destroyed were among the largest in the country. As several years will be required to replace the bushes the loss is severe. It is estimated at \$200,000. Cattle and horses perished by the hundred. Many were suffocated or died from inability to obtain water. Hundreds of acres of grain and thousands of tons of hay were consumed. Summarized, the loss to actual settlers is about as follows, according to estimates of people who have visited the regions devastated. At Spencer, \$250,000; Depere, \$80,000; near Colby, Unity, Miladore and elsewhere along the Wisconsin Central, \$250,000; in the vicinity of Greenbay and along the Door county Peninsula, \$400,000; Calumet, Chippewa and other counties, \$200,000. This, of course, is exclusive of damage to lumber interests.

B. & O. EXCURSIONS.

The following Special Excursion Rates are announced by the Baltimore & Ohio, and the Columbus & Cincinnati Midland R. R. Co.'s:

August 17th and 18th, Sept. 7th and 21st. Round trip excursion tickets to all land points in Texas, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota and Dakota, at not over one fare for the round trip.

Mountaineer Camp Meeting, August 17th to 26th. Sunday, August 22d, special low rate excursion to hear Sam Jones and Sam Small.

State Camp Meeting of the Ohio Conference of the Seventh Day Adventists, at Mt. Vernon, to August 24th.

Rate, one fare going, and one-third fare on certificate returning.

Sabina Fair, August 23d to 27th. Rate, one fare for the round trip from Zanesville and intermediate points, and all stations on Midland.

Pataskala Fair, August 24th to 27th. Rate, fare and a third, Columbus, Newark and intermediate stations.

Ohio State Fair, at Columbus, Aug. 30th and 31st, and Sept. 1st, 2nd and 3d. Rate, one fare for the round trip from all points in Ohio.

West Virginia State Fair, at Wheeling, Sept. 6th to 11th. Rate, one fare for the round trip from Zanesville and intermediate stations.

Ohio Brigade Encampment, at Mt. Vernon, Ohio, Sept. 1st and 2d. Rate, one fare and a third.

Sixty-Second Regiment Reunion, at New Lexington, Sept. 2d and 3d. Rate, one fare and a third.

Hicksville Fair, at Hicksville, O., Sept. 21st to 24th. Rate, a fare and a third from Defiance, Garrett, and intermediate stations.

Fat Stock Show, at Chicago, Ill., Nov. 8th to 19th. Rate, a fare and a third from Mt. Vernon Junction and intermediate stations.

Illinois State Fair, at Chicago, Ill., Sept. 6th to 12th. Rate from Milford Junction and intermediate stations one fare for the round trip.

The Tenth Reunion of the Society of the Army of West Virginia, and the Encampment of the Department of Ohio, Grand Army of the Republic, at Portsmouth, O., Sept. 7th to 10th. Rate, one cent per mile for organized bodies. One fare for the round trip to the public.

The Triennial Conclave of Knights Templar, at St. Louis, Sept. 15th to 20th. Round trip tickets will be sold, good for return passage to Sept. 28th, at 1 ct. per mile, on short mileage, to members of the Order, their bands, servants, and families. For the public, one fare for the round trip.

Erie County Fair, at Sandusky, Sept. 21st to 24th. Rate, a fare and a third from Mansfield and intermediate stations.

Defiance County Fair, at Defiance, O., Sept. 28th to Oct. 1st. Rate, a fare and

a third from Hicksville, Holgate, and intermediate stations.
Seneca County Fair, at Tiffin, O., Sept. 25th to Oct. 1st. Rate, a fare and a third from Chicago Junction, Fostoria, and intermediate stations.

It is said that the loss by abrasion on every \$1,000,000 of gold shipped from San Francisco to New York ranges from \$100 to \$250.

The pair-banisher is a name applied to St. Jacobs Oil, by the millions who have been cured of rheumatism and neuralgia by its use.

THE MARKETS.

NAPOLEON, O., Aug. 18, 1886

Provision Market.	
(Corrected weekly by A. Bradley.)	
Apples, green, per bu.	75
Apples, dried per bu.	394
Beeswax	150 1/2
Butter	10
Eggs, per doz.	100 1/2
Honey	100 1/2
Lard	60 1/2
Onions, per bu.	30 1/2
Potatoes, new, per bu.	1 00 1/2
Beans, per bu.	2 1/2
Salt, Coarse Rock, per bu.	1 00 1/2
Salt, Common, per bu.	1 00 1/2
Salt, Fine Table, per sack	1 00 1/2

Meat Market.	
(Corrected weekly by John Diemer.)	
Picked Pork	40 1/2
Smoked Bacon	70 1/2
Smoked Shoulders	70 1/2
Smoked Hams	10 1/2
Beef, front quarter	10 1/2
Beef, hind quarter	10 1/2
Chickens, live @ 4 1/2	5
Turkeys, live @ 7 1/2	10 1/2
Ducks @	10 1/2
Geese each	50 1/2
Veal calves	3 50 1/2
Sheep per head	1 50 1/2
Spring lambs per head	1 50 1/2
Hides, green	40 1/2
Sheep pelts	60 1/2
Corn beef per bu.	10 1/2

Flour, Feed and Grain.	
(Corrected weekly by J. Koller.)	
Wheat, No. 2, Red	75
Rye	40 1/2
Corn per bu.	60 1/2
Oats	20 1/2
Bohemian Oats	20 1/2
Buckwheat	10 1/2
Koller's No. 1 flour per sack	1 10 1/2
No. 2 flour	1 10 1/2
Koller's No. 3 flour per sack	1 10 1/2
Rye flour per sack	1 10 1/2
Boiled meal per sack	30 1/2
Corn and Oats Chop per cwt.	90 1/2
Barley per cwt.	1 00 1/2
White Lime	75
Water Lime	130 1/2
Kalsene Plaster	2 50 1/2
Plaster Hair per bu.	35 1/2
Blacksmith Coal per Ton	60 1/2
Blacksmith per sack	8 1/2
Clover Seed	40 1/2

(Corrected by R. E. Vocke & Bro.)	
Wheat—New No. 2	75
Wheat No. 3	70 1/2
Corn per bu.	60 1/2
Bye and Oats	40 1/2
H. H. Vocke & Bro., Pure Gold, per sack	1 20 1/2
Napoleon Mills, Gen.	1 10 1/2
H. H. Vocke & Bro., Pure Gold, per bu.	1 40 1/2
Napoleon Mills, Gen.	1 40 1/2
Bye Flour per sack	1 10 1/2
Boiled meal per sack	30 1/2
Barley per cwt.	1 00 1/2
Oats and Corn Chop per cwt.	90 1/2
New York Salt per bu.	1 00 1/2
Screening, chopper cwt.	60 1/2
Blackwheat	1 00 1/2
Michigan salt per bu.	1 00 1/2
Blackwheat brand per bushel	70 1/2
Blackwheat flour per sack	70 1/2
Genoa line per bu.	85 1/2
Cement per bu.	1 30 1/2
Plaster per bu.	2 40 1/2
Hair per bu.	40 1/2

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Sold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5. Made only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Lowell, Mass.
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New Variety of Seed Wheat For Sale.

Russian Hard!

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July 20, 1886. 4t

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Our sales have gone far beyond our expectation, for which we feel very grateful, and thank the people of Henry and adjoining counties for their liberal patronage during the progress of this sale.

During the remaining ten days we will still make greater sacrifices than ever on many kinds of goods, rather than carry them over, a few of which we will enumerate:

1000 yards full standard prints at 4 and 5 cents per yard.
500 yards Dress Goods at 5 and 6 cents per yard, old price 8 to 12 1/2.
1000 yards Dress Goods at 8 and 10 cents per yard, old price 12 1/2 to 35 cents.
500 yards Bleached 4-4 Muslin 5 cents per yard, old price 7 cents.
A large line of Boys and Mens' light weight Clothing at less than half price.
A large line of French and Scotch Zephyr Ginghams at 12 1/2 cents, old price 20 and 25 cents.
A large line of white Goods to be closed out at low figures. Now is your opportunity to secure bargains.

A large line of dress style Ginghams 6 cents per yard, old price 10 cents.

A large line of Misses and Ladies Mitts at 25 cents, old price 45 cents to \$1.00.

A large line of Children's, Misses and Ladies Hose.

A large line of Children's, Misses and Ladies Gloves.

A large line of Misses, Ladies and Gents' Summer Underwear.

D. & J. WILSON.

Napoleon, O., Aug. 4, 1886.